

# BIG SANDY NEWS.

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## CHANGE

In The Sheriff's Office of Lawrence County.

On last Friday night County Judge Thompson appointed D. J. Burchett, Jr., to the office of Sheriff of Lawrence county.

The office had become vacant by the failure of Sheriff H. B. Salter to give bond for this year. The limit fixed by the new law for giving bond is March 1st.

Mr. Burchett has not yet decided whether he will accept the position. He will reach a decision within a few days.

Mr. Salter says he will complete his settlement with the county within a short time.

## Slick Job.

Some friends of the prisoners confined in the jail at Williamson pulled off a slick job there a few nights ago. About eleven o'clock the town resounded with the piercing screams of a woman in the east end of the city. Everybody who was up rushed to the scene of the supposed attempt to kill, and many who had gone to bed scrambled into a few clothes and joined the crowd. Much time was spent in trying to discover the source of the midnight alarm, and when the unsuccessful hunt was ended and the crowd homeward plod their way it was only to find that six prisoners had broken jail and made their escape. The commotion in one end of the town was purposely caused, and under its cover the birds broke through their cage and made good their escape.

## To Farmers.

The Louisa Canning Co. has appointed J. P. Gartin manager of the season of 1907. He will make contracts for Tomatoes, Beans, Pumpkins, Beets and other vegetables. The farmers will do well to see him and make contracts. He is now prepared with blanks and prices. See him and contract.

He wants at least one hundred acres of tomatoes and fifty acres of beans. The season is now on and it will soon be time to sow seed and prepare ground for cultivation. The Company hopes to make this the biggest run that factory has ever had, and asks the assistance of the farmers in this enterprise.

Louisa Canning Co.

## Blevins's Peltries.

Conductor Frank Blevins has two magnificent grey fox skins which he has just taken home. These skins are very valuable, as the grey fox is almost extinct. The animals, from which these skins were taken, were killed by Harry Stafford, of Paintsville.

Capt. Blevins has a number of wildcat skins, which he also secured from the upper Big Sandy valley, and for which he has refused a considerable sum. He will have the fox skins made into rugs.

## Return of the Pilgrims.

Dr. M. G. Watson and C. T. Rule returned Saturday from an extended tour of the West and Southwest. They are Hale and hearty, increased in avaricious and experience, and glad to again put foot on the soil of their Old Kentucky Home. They report Alex. Lackey and other ex-Sandians well, but with a long for Sandy. Mrs. Stewart and Vivian are in Southern California and will return about April first.

## Bob Steps High.

That is, Bob Dean does. It's a girl, born Feb. 25, but the NEWS did not hear of it until yesterday. Bob is no longer a spring rooster, at least not last spring's, and here's his hopin'. Edna Leighton—that's her name—will live to brighten his declining years.

Sam Peters, of Fort Gay, who was a visitor at the Thompson Hotel, in Kenova, a few days ago, accidentally took an overdose of strichine and for several hours his life was despaired of, however by the heroic work of Drs. Miller and Goff he finally recovered, and left yesterday for his home.—Tribune.

## Entertained the Visitors.

Last Friday afternoon Mrs. Chas. Abbott and Mrs. C. J. Carey, at the home of the latter, entertained some Louisa visitors very charmingly. They were Miss Ada Johnson, of Cyrus, and Miss Julia Frye, of Central City. It was a Flynch party, and the games were many and exciting. So warm were the contests that the fair guests—it was a "dove" party—grew hungry and thirsty, but the abundant and delicious refreshment offered would appease the appetite and thirst of the most fastidious. It was a most delightful occasion, enjoyed to the utmost by every participant.

In the evening of the same day Misses Frye and Johnson were guests of honor at an entertainment given by Miss Lillian Bnyder. This was a "contest" affair, and it afforded great amusement for all.

"But what did they have?" O, well, as at the function just spoken of they had everything nice. You can safely bet that when a Louisa matron sets out to entertain her or her daughter's friends the big pot and the little, one, the chick-ens and the ice cream freezer will play their parts and all will eat, drink and be merry. That's the true story of all Louisa entertainments.

## Will Accommodate Several.

Mrs. Hager has rented and moved into the large Fitch house on upper Franklin street and has fitted it up as a dormitory and boarding place for students of the Normal College. This house is a roomy, commodious building, and those who trust themselves to Mrs. Hager's care will be well taken care of.

In this connection the NEWS will say that all the affairs of the College are flourishing. The crowd of students does not lessen in number or enthusiasm, and everybody, student, citizen, patron, is entirely satisfied. Each is helping the other all working for each other's good.

## The Corwin Entertainment.

The entertainment at Masonic Opera House Tuesday evening was very much enjoyed by the large audience. Mr. Corwin proved a very interesting feature. His powers of mimicry are remarkable. Miss Kate Freeze rendered some beautiful solos, which were well received, as they always are.

There was some confusion as to the date of the entertainment, but this was due to an error on the part of Mr. Comstock, of Huntington, who made the date for Mr. Corwin.

## Your Lot Not So Bad.

Most people think their lot in life is hard, and worry over what they cannot help. What do they think of the affliction laid upon the family of John Rice, in Estill county? His wife is confined in the pest house, of small pox, his daughter is at the point of death from typhoid fever, and Rice himself was accidentally burned to death in a shanty on a raft of logs in the Kentucky river last Saturday night.

Archie Mansfield, aged ten, son of Simley Mansfield, of Ashland, was killed in that city Sunday. C. O. passenger No. 3 caught him and mangled him on the iron rails, Sunday afternoon, at the overhead crossing just inside the eastern city limits.

The body of the child was in a horrible plight when found. A ghastly hole had been cut in the back of the head near the crown, and the brains had been spattered over the rails and ties for a distance of several feet.

Scare boys were fined and some imprisoned, recently for jumping on and off moving trains. There are lots of one-armed, one-legged men who lost their limbs in attempting to get on or off a train while it was in motion, but this is not a very effectual lesson. A trunk strap or a barrel slave applied to the part furnished by nature, is often very efficacious.

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A letter has been received from Mrs. ——, who is at present residing in Winston-Salem, N. C., where she fills an important position in a ready-made Ladies' furnishing establishment.—Cattelburg Tribune.

Now what are ready-made ladies?

## FREE.

## Another Liberal Offer to Big Sandy News Subscribers.

By special arrangement we are enabled to send to Big Sandy News subscribers free of charge for six months The Christian Work & Evangelist of New York, the well known illustrated undenominational weekly, the regular subscription price of which is \$3.00 per year.

Old subscribers who pay arrearages and new ones who pay a year's subscription are entitled to the benefits of this offer.

We have no assurance of being able to continue this offer for any considerable time, so it will be advisable to take advantage of it at once.

## Entertained Two Clubs.

Mrs. Robt. L. Vinson entertained the Gossip and Flynch Clubs and a few other friends at her palatial home Wednesday afternoon. Progressive Flynch occupied most of the time and the guests entered into the game with the usual spirit.

The rooms were decorated with ferns, and there was a profusion of carnations and roses in evidence. Each guest was given a beautiful rose.

Refreshments were served and the menu was a delightful combination of choice delicacies. There were salads and sandwiches, pickles and olives, almonds, brick ice cream, cake and coffee.

Those who were fortunate enough to be guests say that a more delightful affair has not been given in Louisa.

## Women's Missionary Society.

This important auxiliary to the church held its regular monthly meeting with Mrs. M. F. Conley Tuesday afternoon. Besides the routine business for the month the annual election for officers was held with the following result: President, Mrs. H. C. Sullivan; 1st vice-President, Mrs. O. F. Williams; 2nd V.-P., Mrs. R. T. Burns; Recording Secy., Mrs. F. T. D. Wallace; Cor. Secy., Mrs. William Justice; Treasurer, Mrs. M. F. Conley, and Literary Agent, Mrs. J. L. Carey.

## Rafts and Steamboats.

The recent heavy rains brought up the river considerably. A great many rafts went out and the Cando passed up and down. Several rafts tied up at Louisa one night, making things look something like the old days.

But the men were very quiet and orderly. They made several purchases of the necessaries, — not including big juice—and went their several ways.

## Fireman Hurt.

George J. Martin, an N. and W. freight fireman, met with a painful accident Saturday at Glenn Ileyes, W. Va. He had reached the top of a water tank to look after giving the engine water and missed his footing. He fell on his side and hip and bruised himself so severely that a substitute had to finish his run. No bones were broken.

Mrs. Jamee A. Hughes, wife of Congressman Hughes, who was called home several days ago by the illness of her brother, Boyd Vinson, regrets that his illness will prevent her joining the party of congressmen and their wives, who will leave this week for Panama, where they will inspect the work being done on the canal. Mr. Hughes is a member of the committee, and Mrs. Hughes has made arrangements to accompany him.—Independent.

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## The Council.

The regular monthly meeting of the City Council occurred last Tuesday night, Mayor Augustus Snyder in the chair. About the only business outside the routine transactions was the consideration of a proposition made by the C. and O. railroad company concerning the macadamizing of Jefferson street. The company agrees to macadam the street from the Louisa Mill to a point near the residence of D. J. Burchett Jr. If the city will do the necessary grading. A committee was appointed to inquire into the expense involved, with instructions to report at the next regular meeting.

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## PERT PARAGRAPHS

### Picked Up At Pike, Paint and Prestonsburg.

Mrs. Anna Dils, the venerable and beloved widow of the late Col. John Dils, is critically ill at her home in Pikeville.

Rev. N. G. Grizzle has named the boy that made his appearance at his home, on Washington's Birthday, "George Washington." We congratulate Bro. Grizzle and his wife on this acquisition to their home.—Pikeville item.

By her demise, Mollie Black, black, absolutely depopulated Prestonsburg of colored women. There had never been but four colored persons in the town and three of these were men. Prestonsburg is almost without equal in this respect in the State.

B. B. Hicks has been adjudged to be a lunatic and ordered to be sent to the State Insane Asylum, at Lexington. Mr. Hicks lives on Middle creek. He has been in poor health for some time, and that, together with business reverses, is said to have caused him to lose his reason.

Robert B. Brashears, an attorney at the Whitesburg bar, well known over Eastern Kentucky, has announced his candidacy for Circuit Judge of the Thirtieth judicial district, composed of the counties of Letcher, Perry and Owsley—the new district. Mr. Brashears will have a number of opponents.

John Ekers, Sr.

## Kentucky Coal to Europe.

The Kentucky Cannel Company began the shipment of 5,000 tons of cannel coal to Spain. This coal is used for gas purposes at Cardiff and Barcelona, in Spain. Much of its by-products will come back to America in the form of lamp black, paraffine, etc. This is the first shipment the Kentucky Cannel Company has made for almost a year, and there are about 10,000 tons of this spodid coal now in stock.

"It is worth its weight in gold," is almost applicable in speaking of this coal, its analysis proving it to stand at the top of all coals yet discovered.

## Sunday Service.

Notice to subscribers and patrons of Louisa, Ky., Exchange: Effective March 3rd, 1907:

This exchange will be closed on Sundays from 10:30 a. m. to 1:00 p. m., and from 7:00 p. m. to 9 p. m.

J. B. Riffe, Mgr.

## ROVE CREEK.

O. B. Stimp, who has been on the sick list, is no better.

Mrs. J. W. Tsouel and Mrs. Mary French visited Mrs. Buggie Vanhorn recently.

Eddy Austin left Thursday for East Liverpool.

John Steward purchased a fine store recently.

Mrs. W. H. Lambert, who has been on the sick list, is improving.

Mrs. Mary Stump, who has been very sick, is better.

Mr. and Mrs. James Curnutt went Thursday to visit their son.

Mrs. Pearl Lambert is visiting her sister, Mrs. Tom Belcher, of Lubbock.

S. A. Lambert has returned from Portsmouth.

Mrses. Mollie and Florence Lambert were visiting relatives recently.

Miss Emma Bryan has returned from East Fork.

Miss Pearl Lambert visited her sister in W. Va., last week.

Mrses. Florence and Mollie Lambert are visiting friends at Catalpa this week.

Bascom Kelley has returned from Portsmouth.

Alvin Bryan was visiting home folks Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Bennett was visiting her aunt last week.

Dr. M. C. Warren was here Sunday.

Calvin Johnson and family moved to Pikeville.

Miss Bessie Stump was visiting Little Hazel recently.

Miss Cora Bryan visited friends at Buchanan Sunday.

## ZELDA.

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## Special Notice.

As missionary of the American Sunday School Union, it is part of my duty to organize Sunday Schools where none exist; also to aid struggling schools in different ways. This work is strictly non-denominational, it does not represent any church, but on the other hand is loyally supported by all evangelical denominations.

I am in a position to render the most substantial help, free of charge, to new schools and also to poorly equipped schools. If there is not prospering very well, write me telling your needs, and I will take the matter up at once. This invitation is extended to any person in any community. Whether you are a Christian or not, if you want righteousness, morality and intelligence to have larger sway, tell us your wishes, let us know your needs. A postal card will convey all necessary information from you, then I will personally take up the work.

Fraternally,  
L. M. Copley,  
Missionary American S. S. Union,  
Louisa, Ky.

# THE HOUSE OF A THOUSAND CANDLES

By MEREDITH NICHOLSON  
Author of THE FAIR CHIEF, ZELDA, JACKSON, ETC.

## CHAPTER IX.

## The Girl and the Rabbit.

Wind and rain raged in the wood, and occasionally both fell upon the library windows with a howl and a splash. The tempest had wakened me; it seemed that every chimney in the house held a screaming demon. We were now well launched upon December, and I was growing used to my surroundings. I had offered myself frequently as a target by land and water; I had sat on the wall and tempted fate; and I had roamed the house constantly expecting to surprise Bates in some act of treachery; but the days were passing monotonously. Twice I had seen the red tam-o'-shanter far through the wood, and once I had passed my young acquaintance with another girl, a dark, laughing youngster, walking in the highway, and she had bowed to me indifferently. Even the ghost in the wall proved inconstant, but I had twice heard the steps without being able to account for them. Memory kept plucking my sleeve with reminders of my grandfather. I was touched at finding constantly his marginal notes in the books he had collected with so much intelligence and loving care. It occurred to me that some memorial, a tablet attached to the outer wall, or perhaps, more properly placed in the chapel, would be fitting; and I experimented with designs for it, covering many sheets of drawing paper in an effort to set forth in a few words some hint of his character. On this gray morning I produced this:

1838

The life of John Marshall Glenarm was a testimony to the virtue of generosity, forbearance and gentleness. The beautiful things he loved were not nobler than his own days. His grandson who served him ill writes this of him:

1901

I had sketched these words on a piece of cardboard and was studying them critically when Bates came in with wood.

"They're unmistakable snowflakes, sir," he remarked from the window. "We're in for winter now."

It was undeniably snow; great lazy flakes of it were crowding down upon the wood.

Bates had not mentioned Morgan or referred even remotely to the pistol shot of my first night, and he had certainly conducted himself as a model servant. The gardener at St. Agatha's, a Scotchman named Ferguson, had visited him several times, and I had surprised them once innocently enjoying their pipes and whisky and water in the kitchen.

"They are having trouble at the school, sir," observed Bates.

"The young ladies running a little wild, eh?"

"Sister Theresa's ill, sir. Ferguson told me last night. And Ferguson says that Miss Devereux's devotion to her aunt is quite touching."

I stood up straight and stared at Bates' back—he was trying to stop the rattle which the wind had set up in one of the windows.

"Miss Devereux!"

"That's the name, sir,—rather odd, I should call it."

"Yes. It is rather odd," I said, composed again, but not referring to the name. My mind was busy with a certain paragraph in my grandfather's will:

"Should he fail at any time during said year to comply with this provision, said property shall at once revert to my general estate, and become, without reservation, and without necessity for any process of law, the property, absolutely, of Marian Devereux, of the county and state of New York."

"Your grandfather was very fond of her sir. She and Sister Theresa were abroad at the time he died. It was my sorrowful duty to tell them the news in New York, sir, when they landed."

"The devil it was!" It irritated me to remember that Bates knew exactly the nature of my grandfather's will. Sister Theresa and her niece were doubtless calmly awaiting my failure to remain at Glenarm House during the disciplinary year.

I had given little thought to Sister Theresa since coming to Glenarm. She had derived her knowledge of me from my grandfather, and, such being the case, she would naturally look upon me as a blackguard and a rascal in the pen of the neighborhood. I had therefore kept rigidly to my own side of the stone wall.

"Bates!"

He was moving toward the door with his characteristic slow step.

"If your friend Morgan, or any one else, should shoot me, or if I should jump into the lake, or otherwise end my earthly career—Bates!"

His eyes had slipped from mine to the window and I spoke his name sharply.

"Yes, Mr. Glenarm."

"Then Sister Theresa's niece would get this property and everything else that belonged to Mr. Glenarm."

"That's my understanding of the matter, sir."

"Morgan, the caretaker, has tried to kill me twice since I came here. He

fire at me through the window the night I came—Bates!"

I waited for his eyes to meet mine again. His hands opened and shut several times and alarm and fear convulsed his face.

"Bates, I'm trying my best to think well of you; but I want you to understand—I smote the table with my clenched hand,—that if these women,



I Smote the Table With My Clenched Hand.

or your employer, Mr. Pickering, or that damned hound Morgan, or you—damn you, I don't know who or what you are!—think you can scare me away from here, you've waked up the wrong man; and I'll tell you another thing,—and you may repeat it to your school teachers and to Mr. Pickering, who pays you, and to Morgan, whom somebody has hired to kill me,—that I'm going to keep faith with my dead grandfather, and that when I've spent my year here and done what that old man wished me to do, I'll give them this house and every acre of ground and every damned dollar the estate carries with it. And now one other thing: I suppose there's a sheriff or some kind of a constable with jurisdiction over this place, and I could have the whole lot of you put into jail for conspiracy, but I'm going to stand out against you alone,—do you understand me, you l' poore, you stupid, slinking spy? Answer me, quick, before I throw you out of the room!"

I had worked myself into a great passion and fairly roared my challenge, pounding the table in my rage.

"Yes, sir; I quite understand you, sir. But I'm afraid, sir—"

"Of course you're afraid!" I shouted, enraged anew by his baiting speech.

"You have every reason in the world to be afraid. You've probably heard that I'm a bad lot and a worthless ad-

venturer; but you can tell Sister The-

resa or Pickering or anybody you

please that I'm ten times as bad as I've ever been painted. Now clear out of here!"

I knocked about the library all morning without easing my spirit, and after luncheon I went off for a tramp. Winter had indeed come and possessed the earth, and it had given me a new landscape. The snow continued to fall in great, heavy flakes, and the ground was whitening fast.

A rabbit's track caught my eye and I followed it, hardly conscious that I did so. Then the clear print of two small shoes mingled with the rabbit's trail. A few moments later I picked up an overshoe, probably lost in the chase by one of Sister Theresa's girls, I reflected. I remembered that while at Tech I had collected a diversity of memorabilia from school girl acquaintances, and here I was beginning a new series with a string of beads and an overshoe!

A rabbit is always an attractive quarry. Few things besides riches are so elusive, and the little fellows have,

I am sure, a shrewd humor peculiar to themselves. I rather envied the school girl who had ventured forth for a walk in the first snow storm of the season, then I waste time, and you will do well to rap at the door of another inn.

"I'd rather missed you," I said; "and really, I should have been over to apologize if I hadn't been afraid."

"Sister Theresa is rather fierce," she declared. "And we're not allowed to receive the gentlemen callers—it says so in the catalogue."

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resa is improving."

"Yes, thank you."

"And Miss Devereux—she is quite well, I hope."

She turned her head my way as though to listen more carefully, and her step slackened for a moment; then she hurried blithely forward.

"Oh, she's always well, I believe."

"You know her, of course."

"Rather! She teaches music."

"So Miss Devereux is the music teacher, is she? Should you call her a popular teacher?"

"The girls call her"—she seemed moved to mirth by the recollection—

"Miss Prim and Prissy."

"Ugh!" I exclaimed sympathetically.

"Tall and hungry looking, with long talons that pound the keys with grim delight. I know the sort!"

"She's a sight!"—and my guide laughed approvingly. "But we have to take her; she's part of the treat-ment."

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I ran up the steps, my cap in one hand, her overshoe in the other. She drew back a trifle, just enough to bring my conscience to its knees.

"I didn't mean to listen that day. I just happened to be on the wall, and it was a thoroughly underbred trick—my twisting you about it—and I should have told you before if I'd known how to see you—"

"May I trouble you for that shoe?" she said with tremendous dignity.

They taught that cold disdain of man, I suppose, as a required study at St. Agatha's.

"Oh, certainly! Won't you allow me?"

"Thank you, no!"

She took the damp bit of rubber—a wet overshoe, even if small and halved by associations, isn't pretty—as Venus might have received a shell-shock from the hand of a fresh young merman. I was between her and the steps to which her eyes turned longingly.

"Of course, if you won't accept my apology I can't do anything about it; but I hope you understand that I'm sincere and humble, and anxious to be forgiven."

"You seem to be making a good deal of a small matter—"

"I wasn't referring to the overshoe!" I said.

She did not relent.

"If you'll only go away—"

She rested one hand against the corner of the boat house, while she affixed the overshoe to her foot. She wore, I noticed, brown gloves with cuffs.

"How can I go away? You children are always leaving things about for me to pick up. I'm perfectly worn out carrying some girl's heads about with me; and I spoilt a good glove on your overshoe."

"I'll relieve you of the beads, if you please."

She thrust her hands into the pockets of her coat and shook the tam-o'-shanter slightly, to establish it in a more comfortable spot on her head. The beads had been in my corduroy coat since I found them. I drew them out and gave them to her.

"Thank you, thank you very much."

"Of course they are yours, Miss—"

She thrust them into her pocket.

"Of course they're mine," she said indignantly, and turned to go.

"We'll waive proof of property and that sort of thing. I'm sorry not to establish a more neighborly feeling with St. Agatha's. The stone wall may seem formidable, but it's not of my building. I must open the gate. That wall's a trifling fence for climbing."

I was amusing myself with the idea that my identity was a dark mystery to her. I had read English novels in which the young lord of the manor is always mistaken for the game-keeper's son by the pretty daughter of the curate who has come home from school to be the belles of the county. But my lady of the red tam-o'-shanter was not a creature of illusions.

"It serves a very good purpose—the wall, I mean—Mr. Glenarm."

She was walking down the steps and I followed, pleased to hear my name from her lips. I am not a man to suffer a lost school girl to cross my lands unattended in a snow storm; and the plaza of a boat house is not, I submit, a pleasant loafer place on a winter day. She marched before me, her hands in her pockets—I liked her particularly that way—with an easy swing and a light and certain step. Her remark about the wall did not encourage further conversation and I fell back upon the poem.

"Stone walls do not a prison make, Nor iron bars a cage."

I quoted.

"I have heard that—before!" she said, half turned her face and laughed as she hastened on.

Her brilliant cheeks were a delight to the eye. The snow swirled about her, whitening the crown of her red cap and clung to her shoulders. Have you ever seen snow crystals gleam, break, dissolve in fair, soft storm-blown hay? Do you know how a man will pledge his soul that a particular flake will never fade, never cease to rest upon a certain flying strand over a girl's temple? And he loses—his heart and waver—in a breath! If you fail to understand these things, and are furthermore unfamiliar with the fact that the color in the cheeks of a girl who walks abroad in a driving snow storm marks the favor of heaven itself, then I waste time, and you will do well to rap at the door of another inn.

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"Oh, it's not so bad; there are worse."

We approached the gate. Her indifference to the storm delighted me. Here, I thought in my admiration, is a real product of the Western world. I felt that we had made strides toward such a comradeship as it is proper

should exist between a school girl in her teens and a male neighbor of 27.

I was—going back to English fiction—the young squire walking home with the curate's pretty young daughter and conversing with fine condescension.

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## County News Items

Interesting Facts Gathered During the Week by Our Regular Correspondents.

### ADELINE.

There was church at this place the 1st Sunday by Rev. McComis. Mrs. Ellen Austin and family left this place Wednesday en route to Wellsburg, W. Va., where they will make their future home.

Moving seem to be all the go in vicinity. John Buckley, of Buchanan, moved to East Fork, and Louis Berry moved into the house vacated by Buckley.

There is a great den of sickness in our community at present. Charles Miller, who has been suffering a sprained back, is able to attend to his store again.

Fred Miller was a business visitor to Catlettburg Wednesday.

Mary White was visiting Mrs. Mary Skinner Monday.

J. W. Holloway, of Durbin, was visiting home folks Sunday.

Mrs. Bertha Miller paid home folks a visit Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hense Vanhorn were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller, Sunday.

Ballard Smith and wife, of Estep, were visiting relatives on Brushy Sunday.

Louis Fannin, of Estep, has been very low for the past week.

Misses Addie and Carrie Kinner, of Mt. Zion, were visiting their grandparents at Estep Saturday.

Misses Mollie and Florence Lambert, of Rose Creek, spent Monday with their grandparents at East Fork.

Goldie Holloway contemplates a visit to W. Va. soon.

Willie Ogle was visiting on East Fork Sunday.

Miss Anna and Clara Miller contemplated a visit to Trinity in the near future.

Mrs. Nora White spent Saturday and Sunday at her father-in-law's house.

### THE LIMIT OF LIFE.

The most eminent medical scientists are unanimous in the conclusion that the generally accepted limitation of human life is many years below the attainment possible with the advanced knowledge of which the race is now possessed. The critical period, that determines the duration, seems to be between 50 and 60; the proper care of the body during this decade cannot be too strongly urged; carelessness being fatal to longevity. Nature's best helper after 60 is Bitter, the scientific tonic medicine that revitalizes every organ of the body. Guaranteed by A. M. Hughes, druggist, 50c.

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George Large passed down our creek Saturday.

Grover Bradley was here Saturday.

Henry Hughes and wife and their son will soon leave for Mahan.

Blue Eyes.

### REGULAR AS THE SUN.

is an expression as old as the race. No doubt the rising and setting of the sun is the most regular performance in the universe, unless it is the action of the liver and bowels when regulated with Dr. King's New Life Pills. Guaranteed by A. M. Hughes, druggist. 25c.

### WATTEURSON.

James Young made a business trip to Webbville Saturday.

Cambridge Williams passed here Saturday en route to Louis Young's.

T. T. Thompson, of Cherokee, has begun work on his place where he will move soon, as it is vacated.

N. K. Whitten was in Webbville Saturday.

W. M. Thompson, of Prosperity, was here this week.

Dave Bates is very sick with grippe. Doc Whitten and Jim Young are cutting wood for Thomas Perkins' and family during the bad weather.

Mrs. Mary Curnutt, of Louisa, is visiting home folks.

Miss Joe Carter was shopping at Cherokee Saturday.

Dr. Young has returned to Louisa.

Ora and Bethel Young have cough.

R. H. Young made a business trip to Louisa last week.

Dave Berry, of Ellen, was here last week.

Mrs. Martha Young went to Cherokee Wednesday.

Perline Young is on the sick list with grippe.

James Young called on his brother Richard Young Monday.

The people of this vicinity were sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Druse Dooley of Springville.

Drew Adams is attending school at Blaine.

Sherman Evans, who has been attending school at Blaine is at home sick.

### RAILROAD WATCHES.

New supply of 17, 19 and 21 jeweled watches just received at Conley's store. These watches are suitable for railroad men or others who want accurate time. Some of them were bought at less than regular price and will be sold accordingly.

### WEBBVILLE.

Mrs. Mata Moore Farley has returned to Holden, W. Va.

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## DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Governor,  
S. W. HAGER, of Boyd.  
Lieutenant Governor,  
SOUTH TRIMBLE.  
Attorney General,  
JOHN K. KENDRICK.  
Auditor,  
H. M. BOSWORTH.  
Treasurer,  
RUBY LAFFOON.  
Sup. Public Instruction,  
M. C. WINFEEY.  
Secretary of State,  
HUBERT VREELAND.  
United States Senator,  
J. C. W. BECKHAM.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce M. M. Hedwine as a candidate to fill the unexpired term of two years as Judge of the 22nd Judicial District of Kentucky, composed of the counties of Elliott, Morgan, Carter and Lawrence subject to the action of the Democratic party of said district.

With a new record for large appropriation and important legislation the Fifty-ninth Congress adjourned Monday. The total appropriations aggregate nearly one billion dollars, which is about one hundred and ninety-eight million dollars in excess of the total of the previous Congress.

One-cent postage stamp books will be issued in a few days. There will be only one form for the present containing twenty-four stamps in four sheets of six stamps each, intercaved with parafine paper and bound like the books of two-cent stamps. They will be sold at twenty-five cents each.

Announcement has been made at the White House that the President will appoint Senator Jo. C. S. Blackburn, of Kentucky, the Democratic Leader in the United States Senate, whose time expired on March 4, a member of the Isthmian Canal Commission. As such his salary will be \$7,500 a year.

There is quite a difference when it comes to being a republican or a democrat. Being a republican kept a Mormon in the Senate, and being a democrat threw one out of the house of representatives because he was a Mormon democrat. Smoot retains his seat in the senate because he is a Mormon republican.

The Louisville Courier-Journal is conducting what it designates as a "Beauty Contest," and is offering premiums amounting to \$175 for the photographs of the three most beautiful women in Kentucky.

This contest was probably suggested by the contest in Chicago to discover the prettiest woman in that city. The NEWS knows several women in Louisa who would capture the Courier's prizes "hands down." But the Editor would not like to be on the committee selected to say which of the number is entitled to the first prize.

## Have One Doctor

No sense in running from one doctor to another. Select the best one, then stand by him. Do not delay, but consult him in time when you are sick. Ask his opinion of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for coughs and colds. Then use it or not, just as he says.

We publish our formulas  
We banish alcohol  
from our medicines  
We will soon to  
consult your doctor

Always keep a box of Ayer's Pills in the house. Just one pill at bedtime, now and then, will ward off many an attack of biliousness, indigestion, sick headache. How many years has your doctor known these pills? Ask him all about them.

Help to the J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

Ayer's

## Service Pension Act.

Applications for blanks for the purpose of applying for pensions under the Service Pension Act of 1906 last have been pouring in to the agency for the last few days. Maj. A. T. Wood, pension agent, said that he had no idea that the announcement that application blanks could be had at his office would bring such a flood of requests for them. The soldier who desires a pension, if they would just get a box of under the new act simply secures a blank and has it filled out by a notary public or any officer of the military qualification. No attorney or any person is allowed a fee in connection with the obtaining of a pension. Major Wood said that he had no idea that there were so many soldiers entitled to a pension under the new act.

## FORT RILEY, KANS.

Permit me to reveal myself to my friends through the valuable columns of your paper. I am now at Fort Riley, Kansas, a snug post, hidden back between the foothills and the broad Kansas river.

Fort Riley proper is one of the largest posts of the U. S. army, built of limestone and resembles a small village of some two thousand inhabitants, there being one regiment of cavalry, five batteries of light artillery and extra strong hospital corps, some fifty or sixty other employees and a complete non-com officers staff. There is also a detachment of student officers farriers, blacksmith and a training school for cooks and bakers, all combined amounting to some three hundred students.

The Ft. Riley reservation of something over 20,000 thousand acres affords one of the best maneuvering grounds of the U. S. Army.

It also affords one of the best National target ranges. Uncle Sam's boys are permitted to shoot upon Ft. Riley is known for its many historical landmarks. The monument marking the geographical center of the U. S. Wounded Knee Monument and the old building used as the first capital of the territory of Kansas, erected in 1859.

Arriving here you are in the center of the post, where a glance will reveal the fact that you are only on very low foot hills compared with the back ground of the West.

The first attraction is the large reservoir which furnishes an abundance of pure well water which is piped into every nook and corner of the post. It also furnishes a perfect fire system. As an idea to the accommodation we are blessed with I will say that the horses and mules quarters are much better than many homes of people I have seen.

There is no prettier sight than "retreat." Standing in front of your barracks while the band plays that national air "The Star Spangled Banner" and the flag which has waved its stars and stripes through their day is slowly lowered to be folded away while the stars of heaven reign at night.

Cleveland Queen.

Nasal Catarrh, an inflammation of the delicate membrane lining the air-passages, is not cured by any mixture taken into the stomach. Don't waste time on them. Take Ely's Cream Balm through the nostrils, so that the fevered, swollen tissues are reached at once.

Never mind how long you have suffered nor how often have been disappointed, we know Ely's Cream Balm will cure you as it has cured others by the thousand. All drugists, 50c. Mailed by Ely Bros., 66 Warren street, New York.

## Bankruptcy Sale.

At the Court House Door in Louisa Kentucky on the

1st Day of May 1907

I will expose to sale to the highest and best bidder, between 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p.m., those several tracts of land lying on the waters of Little Creek and Big Sandy river in Lawrence County, Kentucky, comprising what is known as the Eloise Farm containing about Six Hundred (600) acres.

Sold land will be offered in various smaller tracts or parcels into which same will be laid off before day of sale and it is thereupon will be found at the office of the County Clerk in Louisa, Ky., and at the office of the undersigned in Court house, Ky. \$5.00 will then be offered as a whole and bids accepted thereafter in whatever way same brings the largest price.

I will also on same day at the Eloise farm offer for sale the following described personal property situated on the Eloise Farm near Louis, Ky., viz:

Four wagons, one clover huller, one shredder, one corn harvester, one mowing mill, one pair plow teams, two mowing mowers, plow harrows, corn planter and cultivator, one reaper, one manure spreader, one road machine, one old mill, horse rakes, cradles, clover seed gatherers, one engine and boiler, one tresher, one corn and cob mill, one bone cutter, one cream separator, butter worker, boxes, etc.

## TERMS:

The real estate will be sold for one third cash in hand, balance in two equal installments in six and nine months. The personal property will be sold for cash in hand on day of sale.

The undersigned is authorized by order of court in the above styled proceeding to sell at private sale any part of the personality above described and will receive any offers or bids therefor at his office in the City of Calcutta, Ky., at any time until day of sale.

L. T. EVERETT, Trustee.

## OF INTEREST TO WOMEN.

Every woman naturally should be healthy and strong, but a great many woman, unfortunately, are under the Service Pension Act of 1906 last have been suffering from the unnatural condition of the lives we lead. Headache, backache and a general tired condition are prevalent amongst the women to-day, and to relieve these conditions women rush to the druggists for a bottle of some preparation supposed to be particularly for them, and containing—nobody knows what.

The soldier who desires a pension, if they would just get a box of Prasderth's Pills, and take them blank and has it filled out by a regularly every night for a time, notary public or any officer of the military qualification. No attorney or any person is allowed a fee in connection with the obtaining of a pension. Prasderth's Pills have been in use for over a century and are sold in every drug and medicine store, either plain or sugar-coated.

## FALT PETER.

Our town is improving as George Montgomery is having several new houses built by H. A. Orts and Bob Peters, carpenters.

Robert Burchett was shopping in Louisville last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Chapman are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Williamson, this week.

Yera J. C. See of Wayne was shopping here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stanley were visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Bryan, of Fort Gay, last Sunday.

Mr. John Ferguson has returned after a two weeks visit with his sister at Corralo.

A crowd attended prayer meeting at Sunny Side Saturday night.

Jake Workman was in our town last Sunday.

Jay Wheeler paid some folks a visit Sunday.

Miss Mary Montgomery, the operator at this place, has returned, accompanied by her niece, Irene Montgomery.

Miss Vinnie Pauley was visiting Mrs. Nannie Copley recently.

Otto and George Wellman have returned home after a trip to California and other points in the West.

Mr. Wm. S. Chapman, of Galloway, is visiting his brother, M. C. Pack.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Orts spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Lynch.

Rain Drop.

## BLAINE.

Miss Nannie Jordan left Monday for St. Louis where she will be married to a Mr. Baker. They will go from there to Colorado Springs, where Mr. Baker has a position.

Willie Swetnam, formerly of this place, was visiting his mother, Mrs. Serena Swetnam, last week.

Chit Holbrook had business in Louisville Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. H. H. Gambill, of Winchester, was here last week visiting relatives and friends. Blaine people are always glad to see her.

Arch Caudill, who hit Deputy Sheriff Wm. S. Slaters with a "black jack" several days ago was fined \$75.00 and cost in the Magistrate's court.

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Literary every Thursday night.

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A blacksmith shop with complete set of tools, for rent to a man who will operate it at present location. Good point for work. G. J. Carter, Yatesville, Ky.

## Spring Opening

Thursday, March 14, '07.

Our annual spring opening will occur on the above date at which time we will show the most exclusive line of stylish costumes and millinery to be found in this section. Every department will be complete and inviting. Prepare to come and have a good time.

THE ANDERSON-NEWCOMB CO.,  
HUNTINGTON, W. VA.

## Country Hams Wanted.

Country hams are in good demand and the Big Sandy Produce Co., of Louisa, is now paying ten cents per pound. Also, seven cents for shakered hams.

We pay the highest price for this and other country products at all times.

## Very Low Rates to the Northwest.

Montana, Idaho and Washington every day in March and April over the Northern Pacific Ry. For rates and full information write L. J. Brinker, Traveling Emigration Agent, Northern Pacific Ry. No 49 East St., Cincinnati, O.

Northern Pacific maps and printed matter furnished free by F. T. Wallace, Jr., Louisa, Ky.

## Rooms For Rent.

Five rooms suitable for living or office use, over Shipman and Gentry's store. Gas and water. Two rooms on second floor of my building on Main street opposite P. H. Vaughan's store. All these rooms are light and well ventilated. F. H. Yates

Have you a BOY to clothe? Every mother who has a boy to buy should have her name on our "Mother Of Boys" Directory.

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## Three Meals A Day

Are just as necessary now as they were during the holidays although the menu will be quite different. We have all the substantial every-day kind of eatables that you want. We treat you right in weight measures, qualities and prices.

Nobody can beat us on prices or qualities of

## FLOUR AND SALT.

## W. N. SULLIVAN. - Louisa, Ky.

## MONT HOLT, - Louisa, Ky.

Agent for the Enterprise M. F. C. Co., Heavy Duty Engines, High Pressure Hoses, designed for heavy saw-mill duty, Corn Bars, Saw, Pump Belting, Emery Stones, and general mill supplies.

## Big Clearance Sale.

## Ladies' and Childrens Wraps and Skirts.

\$10 and \$12 wraps now

\$8 and \$9 wraps now

\$5 and \$6 wraps now

\$6 to \$7.50.

\$5 to \$6.

\$3 to 4.

## Clothing at Cost and less than Cost.

My entire line must be cleared out regardless of cost.

\$15 Overcoats, now \$10 \$10 Overcoats, now \$6.67. \$10 Suits now \$7.50.

\$8 Suits now \$6 \$6 Suits now \$4

Big line of Knee Pants. Children's Suits at lowest cut prices. Costs nothing to look. Will save you a lot.

Big line of Newest Dress Goods Just in,

W. D. PIERCE,  
BARGAIN

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# ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Makes the finest, lightest, best flavored biscuit, hot-breads, cake and pastry. Renders the food more digestible and wholesome.

ABSOLUTELY PURE

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK

## Big Sandy News

FRIDAY, March 8, 1907.



Avoid freak weddings when you go to take a wife. They bring but woe. To serif or prine, One chap I knew wed in a mine, And he has ne'er, his friends spine, Been daylight since!

Insure with Wallace. Life, Fire, Accident, etc. Office near depot.

Wallace writes all forms of Bonds.

Much came in like a lion and a lamb.

china-ware given away at Picklesimer's.

All kinds of garden seeds at Picklesimer's.

Pure Maple sugar and Maple syrup at Sullivan's.

Country Irish and Sweet Potatoes at Picklesimer's.

Go to Sullivan for Cincinnati bread, we good kind.

A fit in clothes guaranteed by S. Picklesimer.

E. B. Fitch is improved after an illness of several weeks.

Grass seed and seed oats, for sale at Big Sandy Milling Co.

Merco sells \$2.50 Snag Proof Roll Big Rubber Boots for \$3.00.

The Linen Club was entertained by Mrs. M. F. Conley last Thursday.

Choice clover hay at D. J. Burchett, Jr.'s. Phone No. 4. All orders appreciated.

Minn Myrtle Hurria and William Price were married at Buchanan last Sunday by the Rev. Clifton Dean.

Col. Jay H. Northup has so far recovered from his recent injury as to be able to go to Ashland and return.

Michigan White Seed Oats for sale by D. J. Burchett, Jr. Good stock on hand. Prices right. Store opposite passenger depot. 8-2 t.

Saw Weston's youngest child, aged a little more than two years, died of measles in Hampton last Saturday. His parents brought the body to Louisa for interment the following day.

### FOR SALE

A beautiful home near Louisa, on railroad, river and main county road, 15 minutes walk to center of town. Farm contains 120 acres, 10 acres in timothy, plenty of timber, all kinds of fruit in two orchards, good water, dwelling has 8 rooms, large yard, 3 tenant houses, new barn. An ideal home near town. Mrs. Julia Fulkeron.

Ben Blackwurtz is sick with rheumatism at the Brunswick.

A protracted meeting will begin at the Baptist Church next Sunday.

Mrs. James Hinkle, of Richardson, who has been sick, is better.

W. D. Roffe and his granddaughter, little Virginia Scholze, are quite sick.

A swell line of skirts, coats, furs, scarfs and hats at Gault's Racket Store.

If you don't see what you want at Picklesimer's ask for it. It's there.

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The family of William Rathbone is now occupying the Purchett house, recently vacated by Lieut. Bond.

The new paper at Fort Gay will make its appearance on March 29th. The name will be the Fort Gay Leader.

Mr. Boling, a stock man of the county, took a drove of 25 head of fine cattle through town Tuesday.

"Letter Cake," of Tuscoln, signed no other name to his letter. For further particulars see the obituary.

Thomas Compton and family, from the head of Blaine, have moved to Ohio. They passed through Louisa Tuesday.

All double enamel 10 qt. bucket 25 cts. 2 and 3 qt. coffee boilers 25 cts. 10 qt. dish pan, 30 cts. at Gault's Racket Store.

The regular monthly union services will be held at the Baptist Church next Sunday night and will be conducted by Rev. Elsie.

Mr. A. C. Holland, proprietor of the Arlington, is able to be out, after a severe case of measles that kept him in bed for a month.

Ran Boggs, who recently sold his residence to John Ekers, has moved to Hulette and Mr. Ekers has moved into his new acquisition.

Wallace, "The Big Sandy Insurance Man" writes the most modern forms of Accident Insurance. See him before purchasing elsewhere.

Swell Monday night, but it didn't last very long. Only long enough to make the mud worse, if possible, and the streets dirtier, if possible.

LOST:—I square white flannel shawl and a cream silk shawl. Left in Louisa depot on Feb. 22. Return to Mrs. Fanny Stringfellow, Louisa, Ky.

Michigan White Seed Oats for sale by D. J. Burchett, Jr. Good stock on hand. Prices right. Store opposite passenger depot. 8-2 t.

F. T. D. Wallace, Jr., was in Catlettsburg, Tuesday, paying to the heirs of W. F. Crist the sum for which he was insured in the N. Y. Mutual, of which company Mr. Wallace is agent.

Mrs. Nancy Damron died at Fort Gay Wednesday and the body was taken to Catlettsburg yesterday for interment. She was the widow of M. J. Damron, and before her marriage was Miss Nancy Wellman.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Huff's baby, age two months, died Tuesday and was buried in Pine Hill Cemetery Wednesday. Rev. Elsie, of the M. E. Church, conducted the services from the residence on Maple street.

BROOM CORN.

Wanted—To contract for the cultivation and raising of 5, 10 or 20 acres of broom corn. Seed and all necessary information furnished. E. B. Fitch & Son, Louisa, Ky.

### Don't Push

The horse can draw the load without help, if you reduce friction to almost nothing by applying

### Mica Axle Grease

to the wheels. No other lubricant ever made wears so long and saves so much horse power. Next time try MICA AXLE GREASE. Standard Oil Co. Incorporated

WANTED: Hickory hammer handles, split out 1 1/2 x 2, 17 inches long. Must be made from good white hickory timber. Price \$10.00 per 1,000 pieces. The Huntington Handle Co. W. D. Short.

### PERSONALS.

Mrs. Bickle has returned from Iron-ton.

W. N. Sullivan was in Ashland Sunday.

Mrs. Hermia Harrington has returned to Albany.

Ed Eldridge, of Ashland, was in Louisa last week.

L. K. Vinson, of Naugatuck, was in Louisa Saturday.

Miss Dora Berry, of Blaine, is visiting at Robt. Dixon's.

D. J. Burchett, Jr., and wife were in Huntington this week.

R. S. Christin, of Scary, was here a few days last week.

"Dink" Diamond, of Deephole branch, was in Louisa Tuesday.

R. T. Burns and E. E. Shannon were in Catlettsburg Monday.

Billy Evans came down from Williamson Monday for a short stay.

The Misses Biggs, of Huntington, are guests of Mrs. C. F. Millender.

H. K. Roberts, of the Bell Telephone Company, was here this week.

John Boling, of Cordell, was a business visitor in Louisa Wednesday.

H. C. Austin and family, of Fallsburg, were recent visitors in Louisa.

Miss Fanny Thompson, of Fallsburg, was shopping in Louisa Monday.

Mrs. H. C. Sullivan went to Ashland recently to visit Mrs. C. C. Sullivan.

Mrs. Dora Cook has gone to Cincinnati and will be absent about two weeks.

Miss Minnie Stone has gone to Huntington and Guyandotte for a visit to relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Rice, of Catlettsburg, came up Monday and returned the next day.

Charles Abbott and wife went to Floyd county last week to visit Mrs. Abbott's parents.

Mrs. Fannie Wade and son John, the latter for medical treatment, went to Huntington Tuesday.

Miss May Roberts, of Deephole branch, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Sam Picklesimer, this week.

Mrs. Nancy Billups has returned from Washington City and Chillicothe, Ohio, where she visited her sons.

Mr. W. T. Kane, of Fallsburg, this county, represented Lawrence county at the State Farmers' Institute at Shelbyville last week.

### CARD OF THANKS.

We take pleasure in thanking our many friends and neighbors for the kindness which they so willingly bestowed on us in one of the saddest and most heartfelt moments that ever befell our family. Words cannot express our gratitude and thanks to the people who lent us a loving heart and helping hand to the bereaved family during the illness and death of a dear and loving daughter and we wish to offer our heartfelt thanks to one and all.

M. K. Peery and family.

### Corrections by Sheriff.

H. B. Salter and deputies have given us a list of names that should be taken off of the tax sale list, but the latter had already been printed for this week's issue when the corrections came in. Full explanation next week.

Picklesimer will pay the top notch price for good Country Hams. No limit to size or quantity.

### Wanted!

Gentleman or lady to travel for Mercantile House of large capital. Territory at home or abroad to suit. If desirable the home may be used as headquarters. Weekly salary of \$1,000.00 per year and expenses. Address, Armstrong Alexander, 125 Plymouth Place, Chicago, Ill.

Snyder Bros. are preparing to fill their ice house with manufactured ice and will put in enough to run the season through, and will be prepared to furnish ice with the same promptness they have during the last ten years. Will start wagon as soon as enough people want it. In the meantime they are prepared to furnish ice to those who want it for special occasions.

### HOUSE & LOT FOR SALE.

5 room house, lot 100 feet front, in Thomas addition to Louisa. Price \$500. Call or write Big Sandy News office. 2t.

## WHAT WE DO.

Your savings ought to earn you something. THE BANK OF BLAINE will pay your interest at the rate of 3 per cent. on deposits amounting to \$500.00 or over, if left with us for six months or longer. We want all your banking business and whether your account be large or small we will extend every banking accommodation and will protect your interests with the same care that we apply to our own.

The Bank of Blaine is located in the wealthiest section of Lawrence county and its stockholders are all farmers and professional men and you will find it a safe place to do your banking. Your account is solicited.

R. T. BERRY, Pres. Dr. H. H. GAMBILL, V. Pres.

A. S. CONLEY, Cashier.

## NEW FLOURING MILL, AT LOUISA NOW IN OPERATION.

All the new machinery is in place and Louisa has a strictly up-to-date flouring and grist mill. Bring in your WHEAT AND CORN.

Merchants will do well to get our line of products

### BIG SANDY MILLING CO., INC.

JOHN G. BURNS, Manager.

## We're in Line.



YES, SIR! We're all lined up for spring and summer business and at your service.

We're ready for the new season with everything that is good. We've not a disappointment in store for you. Our Suits, Trousers, Boys and Children's Clothing, Hats and Toggery all bear the ear marks of superiority.

### Our Clothes are Different

We mean different from the common sort of garments you can buy of most any clothing house most anywhere.

Then should you come here for a Hat, a Tie, Shirt or any article of Toggery—You'll be sure of getting the correct thing at a fair price.

### Speaking of Prices

Our prices are always fair—They're Moderate and in keeping with the quality of our wearables. We never ask "too much." We would be pleased to "talk clothes" with you any time.

## SHIPMAN & GENTRY,

(MEN'S AND BOYS' OUTFITTERS.)

LOUISA.

KENTUCKY.

OUR WEST VIRGINIA  
NEIGHBORS.

Wayne wants a telephone line to Bowen.

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Charleston, March 1.—The legislature during its regular session passed 102 bills. Of these measures the governor had, at 10 o'clock last night, vetoed 17.

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Mrs. Elizabeth Rigg died at her home at Buffalo, Feb. 22. The deceased was the mother of J. H. Rigg. She was about 90 years of age and leaves 8 children to mourn their loss.

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The residence of Squire J. F. Keyser, on Harvey-st., in Kenova, together with the contents was practically destroyed by fire on last Saturday evening. It is believed that the fire caught from a range in the kitchen.

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Dirgess, Feb. 26.—Saturday evening, Andy Messer, from Jennie's creek and Bill Muncey, of Prendergast, fought with rocks and knives. Muncey being cut several times by Messer. Muncey is said to be in a serious condition, being cut to the hollow for several inches.

Messer was sent to jail to day to await the action of the grand jury.

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On Monday night the building owned by Agent C. E. Stevenson, of the N. and W., Williamson, was destroyed by fire. The building was occupied by Dickenson and Johnson as a general merchandise store and the stock of goods together with practically all the household goods of Mr. Johnson, who lived in the upper story was burned. The building and stock was partially covered by insurance.

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A land case in which the title to some 3000 acres of the most valuable coal land in Logan and Wyoming counties is involved was recently argued before Judge Wilkinson at Logan. The land is worth several hundred thousand dollars and favorable decision by the court means a handsome sum for Fayette parties interested in the suit.

The land is known as the Christian estate and comprises 3900 acres lying at the mouth of Elk Creek, and extending along Elk for over three miles.

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Some one shot into the dwelling of Rev. J. R. Campbell, a minister of the Christian church who lives near the N. and W. station in Cedro, last Saturday night about half past nine o'clock. The bullet which from the hole it made, was evidently from a 36 caliber revolver, went through the weatherboarding and lodged against the plastering near the bed in which a son was sleeping at the time. When Officer Rutherford attempted to secure the ball it dropped down between the weatherboarding and plaster.

It is not known who the perpetrator of the cowardly act is but it is hoped he will be apprehended and severely punished for his offense.

N. B.—Since writing the above George Rowe acknowledged that he did the shooting; that he shot at a cat and the ball struck on something and glanced and hit the dwelling.—Advance.

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A fire at Matewan, which broke out about three o'clock Friday morning threatened the bigger portion of the town and it was by hard work that the flames were prevented from spreading.

The buildings destroyed were two large frame buildings owned by Mrs. Musick, who conducted a boarding house in one of them. The fire was discovered about three o'clock and had gained considerable headway when the citizens were aroused. The flames spread to the large mercantile building of G. R. Buskirk and those who were fighting the fire were exceedingly fortunate in preventing the destruction of this building. Not a great deal of damage was done the Buskirk building, it is said. Had the fire in this building got beyond control it would no doubt have spread to buildings across the street and this would have meant the destruction of the principal business portion of the town.

DANIELS CREEK.

Richard Moore and Co. are sawing a big lot of lumber on the William G. Large farm.

Joan Jordan has the contract for cutting and E. F. Dean and John Carter for hauling.

Grover C. Large paid home folks a visit last week.

Our Sunday School is going on, with Miss Adams Superintendnt.

H. L.

## CADMUS.

Rev. Cassidy failed to fill his appointment at this place Sunday. The sick folks at this place are improving.

Miss Lillie Chambers went to Louisa Saturday.

Miss Mary Browning is staying with Mrs. J. B. Riffe.

Tom Chadwick was a business visitor at Cannonsburg Friday.

V. B. Shortridge drove a fine lot of hogs through here last week.

Wm. Belcher is having a new house built.

Married, on the 26th, Miss Blrd Wellman to Eugene Large.

Louie and Della Belcher were visiting Mrs. J. B. Riffe Saturday.

Mrs. Madge Rice is staying with her aunt, Mrs. James Chadwick.

Ben Haws passed through our town last week on his way to Fallsburg.

Our school at Green Valley is going on nicely.

Miss Rosa Ekers was visiting Della Belcher Sunday.

## Two Chums.

## SHADY GROVE.

Several from this place attended the Red Men's lodge at Osie last Saturday night.

We are having lots of rain in our community and the roads are in a very bad condition.

Henry Hughes, wife and son Elmer, will leave in a few days for Marion, where he is employed by the Mahan Lumber Co.

Several girls from Twin Branch, attended church at Dry Ridge last Sunday, where Rev. Kemper was conducting a revival meeting.

We would like to have Bro. Kemper in our midst again.

Willie Jobs is at home from Marion, where he has been at work for some time.

Lon and John Watson were here Saturday.

Squire Hughes is on the sick list. Miss Cora Jone, of Montana, is visiting her uncle, James Curnutt, on Rich creek.

Attorney Savage was on our creek a few days ago.

Miss Pearlie Hughes was visiting her sister, Mrs. Milt McKinster on Little Blaine last Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Birda and Ida Carter were here recently.

W. M. Berry, of Ashland, is visiting friends and relatives here.

Lake Jordan and Sam Burton, were here Saturday.

Frank Bradley has moved to this place.

## A Country Girl.

The Weekly Courier-Journal is on a boom. Its circulation has grown wonderfully in the past few months, deservedly. No better paper is published anywhere than the Weekly Courier Journal, Henry Watterson's editorials are all printed in the Weekly.

## HULETTE.

Rev. Cassidy failed to fill his appointment at this place Sunday.

Friends and relatives here were shocked to hear of the death of Mrs. Ella Wooten, which occurred in Ashland Monday. Her body was brought to this place Wednesday and was laid to rest in the Harmon graveyard. She leaves a husband and little daughter just three weeks old and a host of friends and relatives to mourn their loss. They have the sympathy of all.

W. M. Brooks and wife, Mud river, are visiting friends and relatives at this place.

Jink Crafft will move from this place to W. Va. next week.

J. E. Leslie came up from Cynthiamburg last week.

W. J. Cochran, of Fallsburg, makes his weekly trips to this place.

D. A. O'Daniel went to Ashland last week with his wagon, the first since the bridges were washed out.

Misses Maggie Bostic, Ida Wooten Lannie and Joe Fugate made a trip to Polis fork Sunday.

James Ramsey, of Fallsburg, has recently moved to this place.

Mart Bostic and wife, of Portsmouth, are expected here this week.

Miss Amy Daniels was visiting her cousins, Misses Susie and Bertie Nunley last week.

David Burton, of Mud river, is visiting his grand parents at this place.

John Wooten is very low.

Frank Nunley, of Durbin, has been visiting relatives at this place.

Miss Orpha Daniels was visiting Mrs. Exona Layne near Kinner, Saturday and Sunday. Blue Eyes.

## FARM FOR SALE.

135 acres, good dwelling, large new barn two tenant houses, well watered, has a mineral spring in a good state of cultivation 80 acres cleared, mostly set in grass, coal, and plenty of good timber, one half mile of Flat Gap, good moral neighborhood. Will sell cheap and on easy terms. Address Mrs. M. B. W. Holbrook, Georges Creek, Ky.

## OBITUARY.

William Welman was born October the 13th, 1856, died October 20, 1906, aged 50 years and 7 days. He died of consumption. For several years he had been very sick and at last death relieved him of suffering.

He went to dwell with the angels, as a short time before his departure Rev. Martin Berry and the writer held services and took him to the water and baptised him. He manifested a desire that he would soon be safe in heaven.

A large crowd of people witnessed his funeral.

He raised a large and respectable family. Let us all prepare to meet him in Heaven. His body was laid to rest in the Large graveyard to await the resurrection morning. Rev. T. H. Larue.

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If you contemplate building let us figure with you. We can save you money

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Louisville, Kentucky.

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Having displaced its steam engine and boilers with a gas engine, the Big Sandy Milling Co. offers them for sale. The engine is 64 horse power and the boilers are of proportionate size. Also, a lot of pulleys of different sizes and a number of cog wheels. Also, 10,000 second hand bricks. Here is a good chance to get equipment cheap. Apply to

John G. Burns, Manager.

## FAVORED BY BOTH PARTIES.

Republicans and Democrats alike praise Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and all throat and lung diseases, as no other remedy can compare with it. It is safe and sure. F. T. Blader, merchant, 171 Main St., Gloucester, Mass., writes "Foley's Honey and Tar cured me of a very bad cough which I had for three months though other remedies failed to benefit me. I can highly recommend it for coughs and colds." For sale by Louisburg Co.

## FOR SALE:—Good 4 - room house weather-boarded and plastered, good sized lot. Price \$700. Apply to R. A. Bickell or M. F. Conley. ff.

## GIFT GOODS

FOR ANNIVERSARIES, WEDDINGS, ETC.

## JEWELRY

Includes scores of items that will settle satisfactorily the problem of what you will give to any friend or member of your family. We have a choice line of good goods.

Watches, Clocks, Chains, Rings, Pins, etc.

Also, Genuine CUT GLASS.

## CHINA

Call and see our fine line of Haviland and other fine grades of China and see if you do not agree with us when we say that you will not find as desirable and large a line as this in any other town of Louisville's size. We bought a sufficient quantity to have shipment made direct from France, thereby saving about 15 per cent., and we are giving the benefit of this saving to our customers. Compare our prices with those in the cities and be convinced. Your friends will appreciate a gift of any piece of Haviland China, no matter how small.

## BOOKS

WE HAVE Juveniles, Standards, Poets, Bibles, Etc.

## PICTURES

We are displaying some handsome pictures. The line includes all prices from 10c to \$6.00.

## TOYS

We have our usual complete line of toys. Dolls in endless variety and all at low prices.

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## Conley's Store,

LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY.

**GREATER LOUISVILLE EXPOSITION**  
ONE FARE FOR ROUND TRIP BY RAIL OR RIVER  
**MAR 18-30**  
**CREATORE AND HIS BAND**  
Government Exhibits  
and other Great Attractions  
PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT 25¢  
WILL TOUCH THE BUTTON  
LETS YOU SEE IT ALL  
INDUSTRY, INVENTION  
ART AND LITERATURE

## Sheriff's Sale for Taxes.

I have this day levied on the following boundaries of land for my taxes in my hands for collection for the year 1906. I will offer said land for sale to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand at the front door of the Court House, in Louisa, Lawrence county, Ky., on March the 18th 1907, it being County Court day on so much thereof as will produce said tax on said various tracts of land so levied. The penalty interest and Clerk's costs and the cost of this advertisement will be added to the following sums.

Given under my hand as Sheriff of Lawrence county, Ky., this 27th, 1907.

H. B. Salter, S. L. C.

By Wm. Carey, D. S.

## GEORGES CREEK:—

Name,	Acres,	Adjoints,	Value,	Poll,
Brown, Henry	50		\$2.00	1
Boyd, Anderson	75		250	1
Castle, Jane	75		250	1
Chattin, James	100	Grant Young	300	1
Church, Harve	75	John Edwards	150	1
Coyle, John Y.	5	Wm. Lowe	40	1
Daniel, John H.	75	Joe Edwards	150	1
Davis, M. L.	50	Jake Lemaster	200	1
Jordan, Anderson	100	Columbus Bolen	400	1
Kerram, Wm.	25	H. Miller	125	1
Lyon, Katherine	50	John Bowen	100	1
Lester, Jacob	150	Lafe Walters	600	1
Moore, Robert	125	Felix Thompson	300	1
Pack, U. S.	35	J. N. Ramey	100	1
Pact, Oma	1 1/2	Anderson Bryant	250	1
Marion, 35	Josh Wheeler	50	1	
Thompson, A. J.	75	Marion Thompson	200	1
Thompson, Andra	40	M. B. Thompson	175	1
Vanhouse, Allie	25	Jim O'Bryan	175	1
Vanhouse, Wallace	1 1/2	Wm. Chapman	100	1
Wiley, A. J.	40	Wm. Calhoun	125	1
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## BLAINE:—

Name,	Acres,	Adjoints,	Value,	Poll,
Arrington, Wm.	170	John Ostrom	1500	1
Fluehr, Henry	200	Tom Blackney	1000	1
Fluehr, George	60	Henry Bishop	300	1
Caudle, J. T.	100	John R. Caudle	270	1
Caudle, L. C.	150	John F. Green	400	1
Caudle, J. M.	40	Thad Caudle	150	1
Griffith, Laura	50	H. H. Caudle	150	1
Kirk, Lucy Mrs.	4	E. C. Berry	75	1
Skaggs, Lafayette	1	town lot	300	1
Steel, Thomas	15	Grant Lester	100	1
Steel, W. H.	15	Simpson Steel	50	1
Wheeler, John J.	75	W. W. Potter	400	1
Sparks, W. M.	75	Chill Bishop	150	1
Wheeler, W. M.	125	Tug Nickle	300	1
			500 personal,	

## PEACH ORCHARD:—

Name,	Acres,	Adjoints,	Value,	Poll,
Reed, Anna 1 1/2	Ita Hinkle		175	1
Burress, Frank M.	100	H. Burgess	350	1
Childers, Harden	50	W. T. Vaughn	400	1
Bannon, S. D.	40	W. W. Vanhouse	100	1
Fraser, Arris	12	Harden Childers	150	1
Godly, George, Personal				
Rice, Samuel H.	100	William Warnock	600	1
Pratt, C. C.	25	Frank Preston	150	1
Priek, Longstreet	30	Shamborg	20	1
Prie, Ballard & Horders	35	F. Preston	200	1
Renton, Julia	1	A. J. Dale	25	1
Saverry, Jacob	2	McD. Preston	100	1
Vaughan, B. R.	150	William Vaughan	500	1
John H. Sturgill's work				

## LOWER LOUISA:—

Name,	Acres,	Adjoints,	Value,	Poll,
Benton, Lovi	1	town lot	Louis	400
Diamond, Henrietta	4	Mil. Itatcliff	240	1
Diamond, Milton	30	John Hurchett	110	1
Fraser, Sophia	43	James McGuire	250	1
Hannington, Manervatown	1	town lot	Louis	600
Hill, James	1	town lot	Louis	150
Kane, J. F.	one	town lot	Louis	300
Kirk, G. R.	heirs	70	Geo. Simpson	500
Miller, H. S.	100	Albert Miller	250	1
Nolen, Itube	6	J. D. Kirk	110	1
Pitt, Sherman	1	town lot	Louis	400
Pobell, R. S.	55	Al. Carter	230	1
Pitney, Mrs. M. J.	1	town lot	Louis	100
Wilson, Tom	one	town lot	Louis	450
Wilson, Mrs. Kate	1	town lot	"	550
Welman, Al	1	town lot	Louis	600
Welman, David	W. 100	Geo. Hawe	400	1
Wellman, Lafayette	60	Luther Pige	300	1

## UPPER LOUISA:—

Name,	Acres,	Adjoints,	Value,	Poll,
Kirby, J. W.	96	A. H. McClure	400	1
St. John, Flea heirs	16	Dan Wellman	160	1
St. John, Andra	20	Jay H. Northup	100	1
Spafford, Hull	10	Jay H. Northup	100	1
Wellman, Daniel	30	Mary E. See	100	1
Workman, Hiram	14 1/2	Alf Workman	100	1
Younk, James	24	J. S. Peters	125	1
Pediment, listed by Board:—				
Park, Lon	20	Ed Boyd	200	
Rover, Wm.	125	R. M. Sparks	300	
Preston, Cal.	heirs	60	S. Maynard	700
Perry, Arnold	100	J. W. Perry	300	
Smith, Ballard	2	Jake Compton	400	
Wells, A. J.	guardian	for Kitchen	624	
Wheeler, F. T. D.	Str. 40	Art Blankenship	200	
Dunn, H. 140	Hickworth & Burns	210		
Non residents listed by Board:—				
Ashley, Elizabeth	94	Wm. D. O'Neal	500	
Atkins, J. B.	one	town lot	Louis	100
Bowers, Joseph	100	Ed Preston	300	
Marshall, John	10	Henry Marcum	90	
Chaffin, Ella	25	Chris Chaffin	50	
Curry, Jane	25	Henry Chaffin	500	
Denton, Jennie	16	James Webb	100	
Long, Elizabeth	4	Sid Castle	150	
Moore, Willie	25	Sam Debord	75	
Lester, Marion	12	Wm. Caudle	75	
Lyon, H. W.	1	town lot	Louis	100
Long, G. A.	92	W. D. O'Neal	500	
Miller, George	W. 37	Hannington	500	
Peters, Nona	49	J. S. Peters	150	
Wheeler, Gibson	50	O. B. Wheeler	110	
Wellman, Ruth	20	H. Wells	100	
Burton, J. F.	165	Thomas Young	100	
Chambers, Whitfield	60	150		
Miller, Milton	50	John Caudle	150	
Wellman, Edna	122	Minchin	120	
River, H. H.	30		100	
Prater, Jeannie	16	John Barber	150	
Farnum, A. J.	heir	Sam Farnum	100	
Jackson, R. D.	1	town lot	Blaine	100
Wilkis, Green	1	town lot		150
Kirby, M. F.	100	Chill Bishop	250	
Prater, Lydia	35	L. B. Harris	250	
Deardor, Wm.	1	Wm. Hays	150	
on Domain, Oil and Gas Co.	2476			
Johnson, L. C.	90	Amos Caudle	600	
Prater, Mrs. Cleo	75	Dr. G. W. Harris	250	
Prater, P. F.	75	Isaac Rice	150	
Conway, Thorn	15	N. B. Tilson	200	
Wheeler, Arthur	J. 30	George Skeens	500	
Wheeler, Jemima	100	W. W. Chandle	250	

## BIG SANDY NEWS.

## POLL.

## TOTAL.

Name,	Acres,	Adjoints,	Value,	Poll,	Total.
Wellman, John	37	N. K. Whitten	200	1	2.00
Wheeler, John B.	60	Breck Toplin	300	1	2.00
Williams, E. C.	100	Cam. Williams	200	1	2.00
Stone, John	40	S. B. Lessey	250	1	2.25
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#### Commissioner's Sale.

#### ORDER OF LAWRENCE COUNTY COURT

On the 15th day of January, 1907, a written petition signed by a sufficient number of voters of voting precinct No. 2, known as Dry Fork precinct for an election to be held on the 30th day of March, 1907, to take the sense of the legal voters of said precinct on the proposition whether or not spirituous, vinous or malt liquors shall be sold, bartered or loaned in said district, and the same is ordered filed by T. S. Thompson, Judge of Lawrence county.

The petitioners paid into the court \$10.00 for the expenses of said election, and the Sheriff of Lawrence county is ordered to open a poll in said precinct for said election on said date.

#### STATE OF KENTUCKY,

I, Mont Holt, Clerk of the County Court for the County and State of Kentucky, certify that the foregoing is a true copy of an order of the order book of the Lawrence County Court as appears to me of record now on file and remaining in my office.

#### Lawrence County Court,

Wallace, "The Big Sandy Insurance Man" will be pleased to show you the new forms of life insurance, known as the New York Standard Policy, being approved by the New York Legislature. Issued by the Old Reliable Mutual Life of New York.

#### FOR SALE.

20-horse power boiler and engine, on wheels, made by Geyser Mfg. Co. Good as new, with new saw-mill. Terms and prices very reasonable.

MONT HOLT, Louisa, Ky.

#### OUR NEIGHBORS.

Mrs. Sarah H. Bennet, wife of Col. B. F. Bennet, and mother of Congressman J. B. Bennett, died at her house in South Greenup, after a protracted illness, coupled with the infirmities of old age.

The Morehead and North Fork Railway, which runs off the C. and O. railroad from Morehead to Paragon, Morgan county, opening up valuable coal fields, is rapidly nearing completion. Trains will be running over the new road in a short time.

Sheriff McGlone has completed his settlement with the County, turning over \$16,875.62, total amount of taxes including his own commission, and receiving his quietus. Commissioner Moabie and Sheriff McGlone were ably assisted by Accountant G. W. E. Wolford.—Grayson Tribune.

This occurred on the Ohio, not on the Big Sandy:

Passengers aboard an eastbound C. and O. accommodation train were terrorized by the riotous conduct of some hoodlums returning from court at Vanceburg Tuesday evening, according to the Portsmouth Times.

As the train reached a point about midway between Vanceburg and Garrison a fight broke out. Pistols were drawn and knives flashed and the piercing screams of several women, one of whom fainted, added to the excitement.

#### WEBBVILLE.

Dallas Boggs and Jada Griffith were married by the Rev. Sam Murphy Feb. 24th on the Ridge.

Mrs. Mart Sparks, of Equal Fork, died Feb. 24th, of consumption.

Mrs. Rice, of Willard, is here shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Berry, of Ashland, who have been visiting in this vicinity, have returned home.

Dom Hester, of Bell Trace, came today to meet his daughter.

Mr. Chadwick, of Cat, is here to rear a ball and organize a lodge of Red Men.

Judge Woods came in this evening from Elliott county, bringing 140 head of hogs.

Carlos McGuire has returned from Logau, where he had been selling tules.

F. R. Moore has been to Blaine, where he found a great deal of sickness.

Tom Revi Johnson came up today going to Johnson county with the body of his daughter.

Lou Moore and Eliza Swetnam, of Blaine, have gone to Greenup.

Jim Woods, of East Fork, is in this section, hunting cattle and hogs.

Jas Griffith and family, of Needmoore, are moving to Ashland.

The Rev. Mr. Lee, of Ashland, has been to and returned from the head of Blaine.

Miss Dolly Duncan, of Greenup, is visiting here.

Mr. Conway and Miss Blevins were married last week. Also, Claude Cooper and Miss Blevins were married. They were daughters of Don Blevins.

Attorney Jerry Riffe was with us today.

Lill Holmes has one to Minaha to work.

Miss Jane O'Brien has not improved any.

Archie Smith, of Flat Gap, has returned from Louisville, where he had been to sell his tobacco.

Marthovers and Kirk, of Waverly, Ohio, have bought 32 head of fine stock hogs to take to Ohio. They make two or three trips a year and prefer our mountain hogs as they do well in their section.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ball have moved to Carter county.

Mrs. Harry Gambill, of Winchester, has sold her Skaggs farm to the two Dr. Gambills.

Mrs. Dora Woods has returned from Prestonsburg, where she had been visiting her sister Mrs. Gardner.

On account of no mail we had no Big Sandy News today and it will be a lonesome Sunday. Pit.

#### GEORGES CREEK.

Lee Boyd while clearing ground

Friday of last week wet the mis-

fortune of splitting his leg

open. He will probably be laid up

some time.

The sick in this vicinity are all

improving.

Dr. Castle went to Ulysses Sunday.

Hasley and Fitch have just about

got the creek empty of timber once

more.

The road and bridge cobbler was

at this place recently just long

enough to run the county a little

further in debt by cobbling up the

culvert at the A. Lloyd's farm.

Black Jim.

Pierce sells regular \$3. Rubber

Boots for \$2.50.

#### EAST POINT.

B. L. Spradlin is moving the residence on railroad corner to the lot between Mr. J. C. B. Auxier's and Mrs. Fitzpatrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Price have recently purchased the Conley property and will move into it soon as repairs are made.

Hugh Williams, who has been on the sick list, is improving.

Dr. and Mrs. Diamond were the pleasant guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. McGuire last Sunday. They were all invited to Mr. J. C. B. Auxier's for supper. After partaking of a delicious collation in the spacious dining room of this hospitable Kentucky home where eating is made a specialty, they all boarded the train for Prestonsburg. Mrs. Julia Fitzpatrick and little daughter, Miss Eula, were also among those to enjoy the hospitality of the Auxier home.

Mrs. Angie Auxier is visiting her brother, Shadrack Spradlin, on Mill creek.

Fred A. Vaughan was a pleasant visitor to our little town Saturday and Sunday. He returned Monday morning to Paintsville with Stonewall Johnson whom he accompanied home from Sandy Valley Seminary.

Mrs. James Litz visited friends and relatives in Paintsville last week.

The steamer Cando passed here Sunday with a merry crowd of excursionists from Paintsville enroute to Beaver, returning Sunday evening. A crowd of young folks joined them from this place and pronounced their trip one of great merriment and fun.

Mrs. J. C. B. Auxier and daughter Miss Anna, are visiting Miss Margaret Kelley at John's Creek.

Mrs. M. L. Price, Sr., Everett Price and Bill Greer were business callers in Paintsville Monday.

A right nice sum is being donated by the people of the community for the repairing of the M. E. Church building. Work on house will begin soon as material for repair can be obtained.

Listen for the wedding bells again soon.

#### ROCKY VALLEY.

John Damron, of Patrick Branch, was here Monday on business.

Mrs. W. S. Vinson visited Mrs. Sam Hardy Sunday at Licklog.

Sherman Parsley made a business trip to Cattellburg Saturday.

Fred Murphy and Andy Maynard passed through here Monday.

Car Vinson, who has been going to school at Louisa, paid home folks a visit Saturday.

Lee Williamson, of Salt Peter, was here Saturday.

Mrs. W. R. Parsley, who has been visiting here, has returned to her home at Harry, W. Va.

John Moore is building a new house.

I. A. Vinson has purchased a stock of dry goods.

Mrs. Clysta Bates left here last Saturday for Borderland, W. Va.

W. J. Vinson was at Salt Peter Saturday.

W. S. Vinson is sowing the most of his land in blue grass.

Thurza Vinson was a guest of Miss Ruth Wells at Lovers Lane Sunday.

Mr. Rule Vandorse is on the once the second Sunday in this month by Rev. G. D. Williams.

W. H. Shorridge passed up Cat

Friday with a fine drove of hogs.

John Towler is talking of selling his farm and moving back to Carter county.

Lee Haws is building Number 10

Fifers station.

Mr. America Hall was at the office of A. Harmon, on Main Street, last Thursday on legal business.

M. V. May is on the road.

M. V. May's father has moved

home after visiting his son at Mingo Port.

Harry Skaggs is in Mingo

County.

Myra Sparks is in Louisa this week.

Mrs. Burges has passed.

Ed Skaggs is going to a new

house on E. 1st Street.

W. P. Holbrook is gone to Louisa.

J. G. Tolson and J. M. Gibson are building a string of fence for W. A. Hay.

Jack Stiles is very poorly with a backache of indigestion.

U. C. Skaggs will return from Arden soon.

Freel Gibson is visiting his aunt.

Jim Moore is making tie for

W. H. Phillips.

Mrs. Nancy Holbrook has been

very sick, but is better now.

Gas Liquefier for Sale

More power being needed in the